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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Ernst Heinz et al.
Application No. : 10/053,266 Confirmation No. : 1286
Filing Date : January 17, 2002
For : NOVEL METHOD FOR THE GENERATION AND
SELECTION OF TRANSGENIC LINSEED/FLAX
PLANTS
Group Art Unit : 1638
Examiner : Georgia L. Helmer

New York, New York
September 27, 2004

Mail Stop Amendment
Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to file a Response to the May 26, 2004 Office Action. A check in the amount of \$210.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2), is enclosed herewith.

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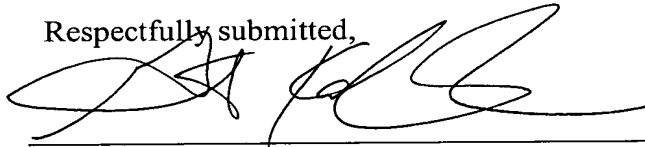
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The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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